Fifteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time
July 11, 2004

Faith Sharing
Readings and Questions

Deuteronomy 30: 10–14, Colossians 1: 15–20, Luke 10: 25–37

Theme: "Go and do the same!"

Question for Adults: Who might you not be recognizing as "neighbor?"

Question for Children: How can you give some extra help to someone this week?

Mon., July 12, 2004
Is 1:10-17; Mt 10:34-11:1
No Mass
Office Hours – 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Tues., July 13, 2004
Is 7:1-9; Mt 11:20-24
No Mass
Office Hours – 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Wed., July 14, 2004
Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Mt 11:25-27
6:00 p.m. Home Mass at Dean & Mary Antonsen's home
Intention: Sexually Abused
Office Hours – 9:00 – 12:00 pm
Food Pantry – 9:00 – 12:00 pm

Thurs., July 15, 2004
Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Mt 11:28-30
7:00 a.m. – Liturgy of the Eucharist
Intention: Repose of Chuck "Toots" Volin
Office Hours - 9:00 am -3:00 pm

Fri., July 16, 2004
Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Mt 12:1-8
No Mass
Office Hours – 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Sat., July 17, 2004
Daily Reading
Micah 2:1-5; Mt 12:14-21
Sun Reading
Gn 18:1-10a; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42
9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. –Men & Women's Group; Generations of Faith, **Everyone invited!**
2:00 p.m. –Jay Gittings & Holly Curr Wedding
5:00 pm – Liturgy of the Eucharist
Intention: For the marriage of Jay Gittings & Holly Curr

Ministry Schedule:
Bread Bake: *Mary Corbine, all three masses*
Altar Servers: *Bethany & Hannah Ehresmann & Adam Johnson*
Euch: Min.: Body*: Greg Sass*
Blood*: John Wang, Nancy Sass, Wayne & Pat Roe*
Lector: *Cathy Wang & Matt Sass*
Sacristan: *John & Cathy Wang*
Ushers: *Diane & Joe Norman*
Music: Family Choir

Sun., July 18, 2004
Readings:
Gn 18:1-10a; Col 1:24-28; Lk 10:38-42
Mass-8:00 a.m.
Intention – Health of Viola Ryan
Ministry Schedule:
Altar Servers: *Jessica Ferley, Alyssa Hoffman & Matthew Jacobs*
Euch: Min.: Body: *Kathy Amiotte*
Blood: *Beth-Ann Ferley, Brenda & Jessica Jacobs & Cary Nickle*
Lector: *Donna Boner & Teresa Thompson*
Sacristan: *Frank & Donna Boner*
Ushers: Frank Boner & Marc Jacobs
Music: *Regina's Minstrels*

9:00 am - Coffee/Donuts

Mass-10:30 a.m.
Intention - For all parishioners

Ministry Schedule:
Altar Servers: *The Strand Family*
Euch: Min.: Body: *Kevin Rohrbach*
Blood: *Mary & Brad Blauvelt, Terri George & Christine Didrikson*
Lector: *Brendan & Jonette Murphy*
Sacristan: *Mary & Brad Blauvelt*
Ushers: John Schweigerdt
Music: *Folk Group*

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

It's a simple concept: love God with your whole being and put that love into practice. How is God calling you to love? Have you considered the way of loving called priesthood or religious life? (Luke 10:25-37)

SPARKS FROM MARK:

Generations of Faith meeting is Sat. July 17th 9:30 am – 11:00 am. Babysitting provided. Did I mention that "Generations of Faith" was for everyone?

Singles
Couples
Families
Everyone
College Students
Teenagers
Kids
Everyone
Grandma and Grandpa
Empty nesters
Newcomers
Everyone
The Curious from other parishes
Everyone
Retired
EVERYONE
OLBH Parishioners
Everyone
People Visiting from out of Town
Everyone!

Prayer Corner: *Please remember in your daily prayers:*
Rose Ann Cartney - improved health
Trish Kostel - improved health
Justin Judy- improved health
Joshua Weaver - improved health
Elaine O'Donnell - for healing
Judi James - for healing
Matthew Bearden - improved health
Eric Denekamp - improved health
Terry Roseland – improved health

Faithful Citizenship

"Stewardship of the Earth"

"In the words of Pope John Paul II, care for the Earth and for the environment is a 'moral issue'.* We support policies that protect the land, water, and the air we share. Reasonable and effective initiatives are required for energy conservation and the development of alternates, renewable, and clean-energy resources. We encourage citizens and public officials to seriously address global climate change, focusing on prudence, the common good and the option for the poor, particularly its impact on developing nations."

[*John Paul II, *The Ecological Crisis: A Common Responsibility* (Jan 1, 1990), no.15.]
-USCCB, Faithful Citizenship, pp 26

Parish Activities

Baptism Prep: 1st Sunday of each Month. Call 787-5168 to make an appointment.
Stewardship Committee: Meets 1st Tuesday of every month at 7:00 pm.
Liturgy Committee: Meets 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:00 pm.
Pastoral Council: Meets 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7:00 pm.
Men's Club: Meets every Saturday from 8-9:30 am.

STEWARDSHIP
July 03 & 04, 2004
General Collections

Loose	$1,471.64
Envelopes	$2073.00
Votive	$6.20
Student	$301.56
Building	$84.00
Other	$461.00
	$4397.40

Ministry Volunteers

During these summer months we enjoy the outdoors and sometimes forget our ministry schedule. Please try to find a substitute if you cannot fulfill your scheduled responsibility at mass. Having a full team makes the Liturgy go much smoother! Also, please contact your ministry chairperson if you wish to be taken off the schedule.

Summer Home Mass,

Next Summer Home Mass & potluck will be at Dean & Mary Antonsens, Wednesday, July 14th at 6:00 pm. Address is 11104 North High Meadows. Directions are: Go south of OLBH on the service road for one mile. Turn right/west on High Meadows Road (gravel road) and head westerly/up for two miles. At the top, at the T-intersection, turn right/northerly for one-half mile. Our house is on the right side of the road, address is 11104 North High Meadows. Our phone number is 787-5622. Please bring your own chairs, dinnerware and a potluck dish of your choice!

July 28th is available for Home Mass!!! Please call the Parish office at 787-5168 to take advantage of this opportunity!

Summer Fest '04

Sunday, July 18th-Hike Squaw Creek to Devil's Bathtub/Cleopatra's Gold Mine (Spearfish Canyon), followed by Mass and potluck

Sunday, July 25th 4 pm.–Ice Cream Social & live music for OLBH Seniors

Sunday, August 15th -Mass and OLBH Parish Pig Roast & Potluck Picnic (at OLBH)

Sunday, Aug 22nd –Card Games or bingo & live music for OLBH Seniors

Sept. 20th – 24th–Limo ride through Spearfish Canyon to enjoy fall colors (this date will be sometime during the week and depends upon fall weather/freeze/turning of leaves)

Sunday, Sept. 26th -Hike/bike Mickelson Trail (Dumont/Rochford/Mystic), followed by Mass and potluck

SUMMER FEST HIKE

JULY 18TH

We will be leaving
The OLBH parking lot
At 1:30 p.m.
For Spearfish Canyon.
The hike will be
Squaw Creek
To Devil's Bathtub
Followed by Mass and
A potluck picnic. Bring your
own dinnerware, picnic
blanket, something to drink
Look for more details in
Next week's bulletin.

OLBH Women's Encounter:
Saturday July 17th,
9:30 am to 11:00 am.
Video: ***Generation of Faith***
with discussion led by Father Mark McCormick. All members of the parish are invited to this meeting, both men and women.
Babysitting provided.
Bring a friend!
For more information,
please call Kathy Van Asma at 787-6218.

OLBH Parish Grounds Needs Your Help!
We are looking for people who enjoy the outdoors and gardening to help with the parish grounds for some light yard work. It is great way for families to spend time together or if you like peacefulness, you could do it by yourself. If an hour is all you have, we'll take it! Please call Darlene Ziegenbein at 787-4461, for more information.

Diocesan News:

Women of Faith Potluck: Wednesday, July 14 at 11:00 am Women of Faith will hold a potluck picnic at the home of Danny Bergin in Hill City. Bring your children for a fun afternoon! New members are welcome! Please bring a salad, main dish, or dessert to share. Beverages, plates, and silverware will be provided. Call Marie at 343-8106 for directions or more information. Marie Hicks, 343-8106

Engaged Encounter Weekend will be held July 16-18 at St. Martin's Community Center near Rapid City. This encounter is for engaged or newly married couples to focus on developing a mutual, faithful and permanent marriage relationship, For further information, contact Brett & Shawna Hanson, 605-923-2545. To register, call Dave & Denise Hollenbeck, 605-341-7883.

"Healing Your Grief, The Bereavement Support Group" will begin on Monday, September 27, at 7:30 pm at Blessed Sacrament church, 4500 Jackson Blvd. Rapid City It is sponsored by Family Life Ministries and is an 8-week support group for anyone grieving the loss of a loved one through death. The support group is open to anyone in the diocese; – please come early to register. For info /pre-registration call Janece Rieman, 343-5547 or Family Life Ministries at 343-3541.

Lectio Divina (praying Scripture).
July 31, 1-3 p.m. Offering of $10.00 covers refreshments and handouts. Register with Sister Marmion 343-2688. Conferences and practice introducing you to the most traditional way of cultivating a friendship with Christ. We will bring in a Lectio specialist, April 2005, and this short retreat will prepare you for the coming of the longer, in-depth, retreat.

Marriage Encounter Weekend: The next weekend is July 23-25 in Vermillion. This is a time for married couples to examine their lives together- to know each other more completely and love more deeply. Contact Curt & Rochelle Lauret at 605-362-9145 or for registration contact John and Dawn Elsinger at 605-362-0924. Pre-registration is required.

For the Ride Home
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Scripture

- For this command that I enjoin on you today is not too mysterious and remote for you. … No, it is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out." (Deuteronomy 10:11,14)
- I am afflicted and in pain; let your saving help, O God, protect me. (Psalm 69:30)
- Through him to reconcile all things for him, making peace by the blood of his cross through him, whether those on earth or those in heaven. (Colossians 1:20)
- But a Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved with compassion at the sight. He approached the victim, poured oil and wine over his wounds and bandaged them. (Luke 10:33,34)

Reflection

- Does the Good Samaritan save the man attacked by robbers or does the man attacked by robbers save the Good Samaritan?
- Describe the law that is in your heart (see Deuteronomy 10:14).
- Consider how Jesus saves you by "the blood of the cross" and how you save others and others save you through "the blood of the cross."

He says: It is a joy, bliss, an endless delight to me that ever I suffered for you. And this is the bliss of Christ's deeds, and this is what he means when he says: We are his bliss, we are his reward, we are his honor, and we are his crown. For he still has that same thirst and longing which he had upon the Cross, which desire, longing and thirst, as I see it, were in him from without beginning; …

For as truly as there is in God a quality of pity and compassion, so truly is there in God a quality of thirst and longing and the power of longing; and the power of this longing in Christ enables us to respond to this longing and without this no soul comes to heaven. And this quality of longing and thirst comes from God's everlasting goodness, and this is the characteristic of spiritual thirst, which will persist in him so long as we are in need, and will draw us up into his bliss. (Julian of Norwich, *Showings*, translated by Edmund Colledge, O.S.A. and James Walsh, S.J., (New York, Paulist Press) 1978, p. 230,1.)